

## Message Text

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PAGE 01 TEL AV 10686 210728Z

ACTION SS-25

INFO OCT-01 ISO-00 SSO-00 /026 W

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R 210715Z AUG 78

FM AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV

TO SECSTATE WASHDC 5012

INFO AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

AMEMBASSY DAMASCUS

USMISSION GENEVA

C O N F I D E N T I A L TEL AVIV 10686

EXDIS

E.O. 11652: XGDS-4

TAGS: MOPS, IS, LE, SY, PLO

SUBJECT: ISRAELI PRISONER HELD BY PALESTINIANS

REF: A) DAMASCUS 4800, B) TEL AVIV 10587

IN LIGHT OF REF A, I TOLD WEIZMAN LAST NIGHT AT DINNER  
(AUGUST 19) THAT UNFORTUNATELY WE WERE NOT IN A GOOD  
POSITION TO HELP WITH THE SYRIANS AT THIS POINT. HE SAID  
HE UNDERSTOOD. I SUGGESTED HE MIGHT USE THE ICRC REP AS  
A MORE PALATABLE CHANNEL TO THE SYRIANS. HE MAY DO SO.  
LEWIS

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## Message Attributes

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